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## Church News

HEBRON BAPTIST CHURCH
G. Edward Hughes, Pastor
September 18, 1949

Sunday School at 10:00 A. M.
Evening Worship at 8:00 P. M.
Note: Training Union will meet at 7:15 P. M.

MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH
R. Carl Maxwell, Minister

9:45 A. M. Sunday School.
Claude W. Smith, Superintendent.

11:00 A. M., Morning Worship. Sermon: "Workers and Their Work." Morning sermon by the Pastor.

6:45 P. M. Youth Fellowship. Leader: Mr. Stanley Blystone.
7:30 P. M. Revival Song Service.
7:45 P. M. Sermon by Dr. T. J. Carroll, District Superintendent.
8:30 P. M. Juarterly Conference.

Rev. John Myers, pastor of the Farmville Methodist Church, will preach at 7:45 P. M. the week nights of September 15-23. The Revival at Memorial Methodist Church will continue through Sunday, September 25. The Board of Stewarts will make its final report for this conference year at a called meeting at the church at 7:30 P. M. Monday, September 26.

The public is cordially invited to attend the revival, September 14-25.

APPOMATTOX CIRCUIT
METHODIST CHURCHES
D. M. Spence, Pastor

**Trinity Methodist**
Sunday School, 10 A. M.
Mr. Lyle Thomas, Sup't.
M. Y. F. meets at 7:30 P. M.

**Bethel Methodist**
Sunday School, 10:15 A. M.
Mr. Lyle Thomas, Supt.
M. Y. F. meets at 7:30 P. M.

HERMAN METHODIST
Worship Service at 10:00 A. M.

Mt. COMFORT CHURCH
Sunday School at 10:15 A. M.
Mr. Clarence Moore, Supt.

Worship Service at 11:15 A. M.
M. Y. F. meets at 7:15 P. M.

EVERGREEN BAPTIST CHURCH FIELD
Cecil G. Carter, Pastor

ROCKS:
10:00 A. M., Sunday School.
11:00 A. M. Morning Worship. Sermon theme: "A Band Instead of An Army." Mr. Wylie Dickerson, of Lynchburg, will present the work of the Gideon's and speak briefly, following the pastor's message.

CENTRAL:
7:00 P. M. Training Union.
8:00 P. M. Evening Worship. Sermon theme: "Doing Good."

Evergreen W. M. S. will meet on Wednesday, September 21, at the church, at 8:00 P. M.

THE DEVIL'S 23RD PSALM
(Contributed)

King Alcohol is my shepherd, I crave and I want.
He maketh me to lie down in mad holes,
He leadeth me beside troubled waters.
He damneth my soul,
He turneth my car over for his taste's sake.
Yea, though I ride in the valley of the shadows of Hell, I will hold on to the bottle.
For the Devil is with me.
His saloon and his beer parlor, they beckon me.
Thou preparest an empty table before me, in the presence of my family.
Thou annointest my head with bruises.
My pocketbook is empty.
Surely evil and misery shall follow me all the days of my life,
And I shall dwell in the house of the Devil forever.

EVERGREEN YWA

The Y. W. A.'s of the Evergreen Baptist Church met September 11, in the home of Miss Joan Harris. There was an interesting program. Those taking part were: Misses Rosa Belle Goin, Jean LeGrand, Joan Harris and Phyllis Harvey.

The next meeting will be held on the second Sunday in October, at the home of Miss Rosa Belle Goin.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

A surprise birthday party was given for Curtis Wootten Saturday night at his home. Those present were: Shirley and Rebecca Reynolds, Macca Lee Cyrus, Flora Mae Puckett, Alice, Martha, Betty Jane and Claudine Jennings, Melva, Bill and Skippy Williamson, Mickey, Paul and Jerry Martin, Lvanna and Velma Wootten, Sandra Pillow, Isabelle and Reddy Coleman, Ed and Wayne Phelps, Carolyn and Danny Perdue, J. C. Hwxley, Jimmy Martin, William Layne, David Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Williamson Wootten, Mrs. James Bradley, Mrs. Bolden McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Williamson, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wootten, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Pillow, Herbert Pillow, Floyd Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Phelps, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jennings, Mrs. George Perdue, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wootten, Mrs. Bettie Wootten and Mrs. Emory Jennings.

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Home Demonstration Agent's edule, week of Sept. 26-30:

The demonstration for each meet- will be: Meals from home-grown ods. Each group will complete program planning for the 1950 me Demonstration Program.

Monday, Sept. 26.- The Clover Home Demonstration Club will at 2:00 P. M., at the home of Jesse Torrence, with Mrs. Tom- Grigston as cohostess. Dem- ration will be given by Mrs. nes Connor and Mrs. Thelma nor.

Tuesday, Sept. 27.- The Trinity Demonstration Club will meet 10:00 A. M. for an all-day meet- with Mrs. R. B. Martin, who have charge of the demonstra-

Wednesday, Sept. 28.- The Spout g Home Demonstration Club meet at 2:00 P. M. at the home Mrs. A. C. Almond. The demon- ration will be given by Mrs. D. P. son.

Thursday, Sept. 29.- The Liberty ad Home Demonstration Club meet at 2:00 P. M., with Mrs. bin Coleman. Mrs. Coleman and . J. Harvey, Jr., will give th- nstration.

Thursday, September 29 - Oak- w Home Demonstration Club meet at 2:00 P. M. with Mrs. ie T. Hunter. The demonstration be given by Mrs. W. D. Hunter ed Mrs. Floyd Fleshman.

## tart Work Phone Building

Ground has been broken for the w building to be occupied here the Appomattox Telephone Co. he building, a one-story structure cinder block, is to be located on he far end of the lot at the rear J. T. Almond's store.

Present plans call for installation the dial system here by February, 1950. The new dial switchboard and other equipment will be housed the building now being construc-

FARMVILLE ENROLLMENT

Enrollment in the Farmville High hool this year is the highest since record year of 1941-42, when 0 were registered. This year 296 ents have been enrolled.

This figure represents an in- ease of 50 over last year.

One month's coal is now on hand Birmingham.

Reading tests show that Virginia dents lag.

Appomattox is a growing town.

## Uncle Sam Says

If it's money worries that make you so peculiar, like on the day before pay day when your pockets are empty, here's YOUR OPPORTUNITY to get on the sunny side of life. Save the simple, trouble-free way—with U. S. Savings Bonds. Automatic savings through the Payroll Savings Plan where you work, or, if self-employed, the Bond-a-Month Plan where you bank, is a sure cure for the between pay day "beetle-heebies." And—your money GROWS—$4 for every $3 you invest in ten short years.

U.S. TREASURY DEPARTMENT

## Two Year Old Child Killed Tuesday Morning

In one of the most tragic accidents in this county in recent years, a two-year-old child was struck and killed by a passing heavy truck, on Route 460, 5.7 miles east of Appomattox at 9:20 A. M. Tuesday.

The child was Robert William Shelton, 2, of Route 1, Pamplin, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Shelton.

According to the investigating police officer, the child was killed instantly. He stated that the truck was driven by Horace McKinley Taylor, Route 1, Prospect. The driver was reported to have stated that the child ran against the side of the truck and the rear wheels passed over his body. Taylor was released after posing bail for a hearing.

In addition to his parents, the lad is survived by a brother, Rudy, and a sister, Freda May Shelton.

Funeral services will be conducted today at 4 P. M., from the Shelton home. Interment will be in the family cemetery.

This was the second on Appomattox County highways in 1949. The first occured January 29, at Spout Spring.

## P. T. A. To Hold Reception

The first meeting of the Appomattox P.-T. A. will be held at 8:00 P. M. next Tuesday, September 27, in the local high school cafeteria. The program will consist of a talk by Principal Howard Kerr, and an open forum led by J. A. Burke on, "Plans for public education in Virginia."

The program will be followed by a reception honoring Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kerr and the new teachers. All patrons and friends of the school are invited.

## Carol Choir Is Organized

The Liberty Carol Girls Choir of Liberty Baptist Church held its first meeting September 16, for the purpose of electing officers. The following were elected:

President, Barbara Carter; vice-president, Mary Ellen Ramsey; secretary, Nina Barlow; treasurer, Barbara Ann Johnson; librarian, Joyce McCormick; reporter; chairman, Helen Mae Poe, assistant, Peggy Cole; historian, Betty Wingfield.

Miss Nancye Scott, director, organized the choir. It offers an opportunity to every girl. Rehearsals are held each Thursday at 3:30, at Liberty Baptist Church.

Auto making may make a new record output this year.

## Corn Storage Necessary This Season

With Virginia corn production likely to reach a new high with the coming harvest, R. B. Bridgeforth, State PMA Chairman, this week urged growers to plan their own farm storage if they are to expect a reasonable return for this year's crop.

He pointed to BAE estimates of August 1, placing Virginia's 1949 corn production at 50,668,000 bushels which would exceed even the 1948 production of 50,525,000 bushels, up to then a record.

In a release to PMA farmer-committeemen throughout the state, Bridgeforth said that farmers will "likely have to feed, sell, or store more corn than ever before." He restrained farmers from sacrificing their corn on low markets soon after harvest and urged them to take advantage of Government price supports wherever possible. However, he noted that "price supports are not effective without storage. There will be little, if any, commercial storage available, which means that corn must be stored on the farm to obtain price support."

The 1949 corn price support program in Virginia will be announced immediately after October 1, and will probably take the form of purchase agreements, and possibly corn loans. In either case, farmers would be required to keep their corn in safe condition to meet U. S. No. 3 grade and the moisture requirement for safe storage.

In addition to price supports, Bridgeforth said that the Department of Agriculture is trying to help corn producers through offering them 5-year loans for building storage facilities and providing complete plans for building cribs and bins of all sizes.

Detailed information on the storage loan program is available at any County Agricultural Conservation office, as are the building plans.

Bridgeforth also called attention to still another program, announced in August, whereby the Commodity Credit Corporation, under certain conditions will guarantee occupancy of newly constructed commercial facilities. Under this program, he noted, the CCC is not lending money for construction, but does assure warehousemen that any new structure or annex to existing structure will be occupied up to 90 per cent of its capacity for two years. The program is directed at expansion of commercial type storage for all grains. Interested warehousemen should communicate with the State Office of the Production and Marketing Administration in Richmond.

Acheson says that U. S. can deal with Russians.

British Labor faces a crisis in the devaluation move.

## Eight DP Familics Are Now In Appomattox County

WILBUN GETS FINE SALE ON BRIGHT TOBACCO

A splendid sale of bright tobacco was reported this week by C. S. Wilbun, of Route One, Appomattox. Mr. Wilbun sold 1720 pounds for a total of $1,118.00. Howevery, the remarkable thing about the sale was that piles of leaf, weighing: 300, 300, 234, 166, 212, 236, 272 pounds, for the 1,720 pound total, each were sold for 65 cents a pound! Nor did one buyer buy all the tobacco. Maybe it was such fine quality that it had to be divided up among the bidders.

A considerable quantity of fine bright tobacco is grown in the southern portion of Appomattox County. The markets opened last week.

## A. H. S. Plays Brookville Here Friday

Appomattox High School opened its 1949 football season with a 28 to 0 victory over the Presbyterian Orphanage team here Saturday night at the Lee Park. The game was more closely contested than the final score indicated.

Appomattox exhibited a good running and passing attack, but was rather weak on blocking and tackling. The touchdowns were made by Buddy Ould and Ed Cawthorne. The passing and punting was ably handled by Sam Ferguson and Harry Lawson. On defense, Henry Scott, Ormand McCann, Bobby Chernault and David Ferguson performed well.

The next home game will be played here Friday night at 8:00 o'clock at the Lee Park, with Brookville High School. This promises to be a close and interesting game.

## Bear Cats Special Game

The Bear Cats scheduled their last game for this season here last Sunday. However, due to the misfortune of their ace pitcher, Jack Watson breaking his arm pitching ball Saturday, business manager, Sidney McKinney has arranged to play a special game for the benefit of his hospital expenses, which the entire club feels its obligation to do. Jack has a record of 14 won and 2 lost. The Bear Cats will play the Prince Edward Grays here on Sunday at 3:00 o'clock. These two teams played two games last week-end and each game ended in a tie, Saturday the score was 9 to 9, and Sunday the score was 1 to 1. The Bear Cats particularly appreciate the patronage of the public for this special game this Sunday.

## The New Look At Spencer's Drug Store

Above: Appomattox's main business corner is looking up these days. The front of Spencer's Drug Store has been given the "new look," and the entire store has been remodeled and air conditioned. Congratulations to proprietor H. Y. Spencer! (Photo by National Photo Service.)

## Funeral Held Wednesday For Col. Coleman

Funeral services were held here at the grave in Liberty Cemetery, for Colonel William Abbitt Coleman, 63, USA, ret., who died Monday morning in the Medical College of Virginia Hospital, Richmond. His death was the result of injuries received in an automobile accident near Richmond on September 8, in which accident Mrs. Coleman, his wife, was killed. The occupant of the second car in the accident, Thomas Newton Brooking, Jr., 26, of Richmond, died September 9.

Col. Coleman was a son of the late George A. and Jane Eleanor Abbitt Coleman. Educated in Lynchburg and at Washington and Lee University, he served in World War I, and was recalled to active duty in 1940. He participated in the reorganization of Camp Lee, before going overseas in World War II. He retired from the Army to return to Appomattox, where he purchased the old Abbitt homeplace, Red Fields. For the past several years he engaged in the real estate business here, with his son-in-law.

His varied talents and engaging personality made him a leader in many phases of community life. He was serving his second year as the Commander of Appomattox Post 104 of the American Legion. He was a member of the Episcopal Church

He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Richard G. Janatka, a son-in-law, Mr. Janatka; two brothers, Captain George D. Coleman, USA, ret., of Appomattox, and Dr. John D. Coleman, of Hampton; three sisters, Mrs. Robert W. Kash, of Lynchburg; Mrs. Vivian C. McGaughty, and Mrs. George H. Brown, of Norfolk.

## Evergreen Field Names Officers

The Evergreen Baptist Church Field has chosen the following Sunday School officers for the year 1950:

Evergreen Church:
Superintendent, Randall H. Wooldridge.
Ass't. Sup't., John Farrar.
Secretary, William D. Ferguson.
Ass't. Sec., Fred Wooldridge
Treasurer, Edwin R. Carter.
Ass't. Treas., Ryland Staples.
Cradle Roll Superintendent, Mrs. Randall W. Wooldridge.
Ass't. C. R. Sup't., Mrs. Wiley Richardson.
Superintendent Extension Department, Mrs. Martha Staples.

Central Church:
Superintendent, DeWitta Harvey.
Ass't. Sup't., Hudson Harvey.
Secretary, Bruce Paulette.
Ass't. Sec., E. R. Ferguson.
Treasurer, C. C. Harvey.
Cradle Roll Superintendent, Mrs. Frank Fleshman.
Ass't. C. R. Sup't., Mrs. Elliott Nash.
Superintendent of Extension Department, Hudson Harvey.

Rocks Church:
Superintendent, Edward Ranson.
Ass't. Sup't., Ted Almond.
Secretary and treasurer, Miss Cassie Baldwin.
Cradle Roll, Mrs. D. R. Inge.

Hollywood Church:
Superintendent, David L. Smith.
Ass't. Supt., Richard Webb.
Secretary and Treasurer, R. S. Franklin.
Ass't. Sec. and treas., Vernon Beasley.
Cradle Roll Sup't., Mrs. C. E. Lewis. Assistant, Mrs. Ruby Franklin.

Appomattox County has a fairly large group of new residents, as eight families of Europeans have arrived to make their new homes in America. The families, scheduled to live and work on farms, are from the vast multitude from war displaced families of Eastern Europe, in the general Ukraine area. The United States has agreed to permit limited numbers to enter America, provided they have homes and jobs in sight upon entry.

In addition to the eight families already arrived, another is expected in about ten days, and several Appomattox farmers are understood to be planning to offer homes and jobs to others, if available.

Those already here include:

On the farm of L. N. Garrette, of Concord, a man, wife and two children, aged 11 and 3. The 11-year old child is now in school.

On the farm of Franklin R. Foster, Concord, a man and wife and one child.

On the farm of J. Owen Carson, Concord, a man and wife and one child.

On the farm of F. F. Carr, Appomattox, a man, wife and one child.

On the farm of E. W. Carson, Appomattox, a man, wife and two children, ages 11 and 9. These two children will attend school at Appomattox. The 11-year says she will know "English by Christmas!"

On farm of Dr. and Mrs. Samuel L. Shouse, Appomattox, a man and wife.

On the farm of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Stratton, Appomattox, a man, wife and one child.

On the farm of Charles Crawley, Appomattox, a man and wife.

Preliminary reports are that both the Appomattox farmers and the newly arrived families are pleased with the new set-up. Editor's note: we'll wait until they have picked up a bit of English before attempting interviews!)

One of the local farmers declared that it is amazing how much one can say and understand, by using the sign language.

## Appomattox Garden Club

The Appomattox Garden Club will meet on Monday night, September 26th, in the home of Mrs. H. A. Gurney, at the Old Court House. Mrs. Mildred Alvis and Mrs. Gladys Woodson will be cohostesses with Mrs. Gurney. Mrs. DeWitt Evans will present a program on indoor plants, their care and culture. The exhibit will be an informal arrangement for luncheon tables and arrangement in bean pot. Plans will be announced for the fall flower show, which it is planned to hold in the recently rebuilt McLean House.

## Beauty Shop To Open Here

A new beauty shop, to be known as "Vivian's Beauty Shop," will open here September 30. It will be located in the new Abbitt building, on Court Street, across from the Frozen Food Locker. Operators will be Mrs. Vivian Crews and Mrs. Martha Harvey.

## Lions Club Meets Tonight

The Appomattox Lions Club will meet tonight, at 6:45, at the Lee Restaurant. A special program has been planned, and a full attendance is requested.

Appomattox Safety Council plans campaign against speeding.